

**Station WMBQ-CD, New York, NY  
FCC Facility ID No. 14322  
Request for Silent STA  
Exhibit**

By this application, WNET, licensee of Digital Class A television broadcast station WMBQ-CD, New York, NY (FCC Facility ID No. 14322), provides notice that WMBQ-CD has been off the air since December 23, 2017.

In accordance with Sections 73.1740(a)(4) and 73.1635 of the Commission's Rules, WNET hereby requests special temporary authority ("STA") for WMBQ-CD to remain silent past the expiration of the thirty day period ending January 22, 2018.

WMBQ-CD is party to a channel-sharing agreement with co-owned station WNET, Newark, NJ, Facility ID No. 18795, and has ceased operations in preparation for a relocation of the shared transmission facilities to the World Trade Center.

WMBQ-CD plans to file an application to modify its facilities to specify the modified operating parameters at the new transmitter site.

Authorization for an additional 180 days for WMBQ-CD to remain silent is respectfully requested, to allow sufficient time to plan for and relocate its broadcast facilities and resume service on the station.